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1. PERCY SENATE STATEMENT ON NEPAL CARRIED IN WIRELESS FILE  
AND RELEASED LOCALLY BY USIS WAS RUN IN FULL ON FRONT PAGE  
OF RISING NEPAL AND GORKHAPATRA AND CARRIED SUBSTANTIALLY  
IN VIRTUALLY EVERY OTHR MAJOR PAPER IN KATHMANDU.  
STATEMENT WAS ALSO SUBJECT OF LENGTHY EDITORIAL TODAY  
IN RISING NEPAL WHICH SAID IN PART..." THE FRIST THING  
HE TOOK NOTE OF THE NEPALESE PEOPLE IS THEIR LOVE OF  
INDEPENDENCE AND SOVEREIGNTY WHICH THEY ARE " DETERMINED  
TO PRESERVE". COMING FROM AS HIGH A US PERSONALITY AS  
MR. PERCY THE RECOGNITION OF THE BASIC ASPIRATION OF THE  
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NEPALESE PEOPLE TO KEEP THEIR INDEPENDENT STATUS AND

TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY WELL PROTECTED AND PERPETUATED  
FOR INFINITE PERIOD OF TIME IS HIGHLY SIGNIFICANT...  
THE SENSITIVE SENATOR LIKE CHARLES PERCY HAS WELL  
UNDERSTOOD OUR PROBLEMS EVEN DURING A BRIEF STAY AND  
COME TO STATE THAT HIS MAJESTY KING BIRENDRA "RECOGNIZES  
THE TASK AND HAS COMMITTED HIMSELF TO MOVING HIS COUNTRY  
FORWARD". IT IS, HOWEVER, HOPED THAT THE FRIENDLY  
NATIONS WILL COME TO SINCERE ASSISTANCE TO US IN FULFILLING  
OUR NATIONAL GOALS OF MATERIAL AND MORAL UPLIFT.  
THE U.S. SENATOR HAS ALSO FOCUSSED ON THE BILATERAL  
RELATION SUBSISTING BETWEEN NEPAL AND THE UNITED STATES  
WITH THE REITERATION ON HIS COUNTRY'S CONTINUING  
INTEREST IN MANTAINING GOOD RELATIONS WITH THIS  
KINGDOM. IT IS IN THIS CONTEXT THAT MR. PERCY'S  
ASSURANCE TO HIS MAJESTY THE KING THAT THE PRIMARY  
INTEREST OF THE UNITED STATES IN SOUTH ASIA WAS PEACE  
AND STABILITY BECOMES MEANINGFUL. OBEE UNQTE KISSINGER

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